

Morningstar Investigations & Process Servers



<u>County</u>	<u>Circuit</u>	<u>Appointment By</u>
Alachua	8th	M&O*
Baker	8th	M&O*
Bay	14th	Sheriff
Bradford	8th	M&O*
Brevard	18th	Certified
Broward	17th	Sheriff
Calhoun	14th	M&O*
Charlotte	20th	Certified
Citrus	5th	Certified
Clay	4th	M&O*
Collier	20th	Certified
Columbia	3rd	Certified
Dade	11th	Certified
DeSoto	12th	Certified
Dixie	3rd	Certified

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Duval	4th	Sheriff
Escambia	1st	Certified
Flagler	7th	M&O**
Franklin	2nd	Certified/Sheriff
Gadsden	2nd	Certified/Sheriff
Gilchrist	8th	M&O*
Glades	20th	Certified
Gulf	14th	Sheriff
Hamilton	3rd	Certified
Hardee	10th	Certified
Hendry	20th	Certified
Hernando	5th	Certified
Highlands	10th	Certified
Hillsborough	13th	Certified
Holmes	14th	M&O*
Indian River	19th	Certified
Jackson	14th	Sheriff
Jefferson	2nd	Certified/Sheriff

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Lafayette	3rd	Certified
Lake	5th	Certified
Lee	20th	Certified
Leon	2nd	Certified/Sheriff
Levy	8th	M&O*
Liberty	2nd	Certified
Madison	3rd	Certified
Manatee	12th	Certified
Marion	5th	Certified
Martin	19th	Certified
Monroe	16th	Sheriff
Nassau	4th	M&O*
Okaloosa	1st	Certified
Okeechobee	19th	Certified
Orange	9th	Certified
Osceola	9th	Sheriff

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Palm Beach	15th	Certified
Pasco	6th	Sheriff
Pinellas	6th	Sheriff
Polk	10th	Certified
Putnam	7th	M&O*
Santa Rosa	1st	Certified
Sarasota	12th	Certified
Seminole	18th	Certified
St. Johns	7th	Sheriff
St. Lucie	19th	Certified
Sumter	5th	Certified
Suwannee	3rd	Certified
Taylor	3rd	Certified
Union	8th	M&O*
Volusia	7th	M&O*
Wakulla	2nd	Certified/Sheriff
Walton	1st	Certified
Washington	14th	M&O*

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Florida has 67 Counties

39 Counties have Certified Process Servers

9 Counties have Sheriff Appointed Servers

5 Counties have dual appointments-Sheriff appointed and certified.

14 Counties require a Motion & Order for Elisor-there are no current appointments in these areas

Florida Statute 48.021 requires that a process server be appointed in the county where service is effected-not the county of filing.

